

AMENDMENTS TO LB 830

(Amendments to Standing Committee amendments, AM2357)

Introduced by Lathrop, 12.

1 1. Strike section 9.

2 2. On page 1, line 14, after the period insert "The
3 preferred drug list and other activities mandated by the act
4 shall not be construed to replace, prohibit, or limit other lawful
5 activities of the department not specifically permitted or required
6 by the act.".

7 3. On page 2, line 13, strike "The" and insert "No later
8 than July 1, 2010, the"; and strike beginning with "Except" in line
9 19 through line 27 and insert "The committee shall consist of at
10 least (a) eight physicians, (b) four pharmacists, (c) a university
11 professor of pharmacy or a person with a doctoral degree in
12 pharmacology, and (d) two public members. No more than twenty-five
13 percent of the committee shall be state employees.

14 (3) The physician members of the committee, so far as
15 practicable, shall include physicians practicing in the areas
16 of (a) family medicine, (b) internal medicine, (c) pediatrics,
17 (d) cardiology, (e) psychiatry or neurology, (f) obstetrics or
18 gynecology, (g) endocrinology, and (h) oncology.".

19 4. On page 3, strike lines 1 through 5; in line 6 strike
20 "(5)" and insert "(4)"; in line 10 strike "(6)" and insert "(5)";
21 in line 14 strike "(7)" and insert "(6)"; and in line 15 strike
22 "for" and insert "relating to".

1 5. On page 4, line 12, after "list" insert ", after
2 consideration of applicable rebates or discounts negotiated by the
3 department"; in line 19 strike "prescriber" and insert "provider";
4 in line 20 after "been" insert "therapeutically"; and in line 21
5 after "be" insert "therapeutically".

6 6. On page 5, line 3, after "if" insert "the provider
7 certifies that (a)"; in line 4 strike "already" through
8 "successful" and insert "achieving therapeutic success with a"; in
9 line 7 after "or" insert "(b)" and strike "had a prior failure" and
10 insert "experienced a prior therapeutic failure"; and strike lines
11 8 and 9 and insert an underscored period.

12 7. Renumber the remaining section accordingly.